

MOTION BY SUPERVISOR YVONNE B. BURKE

MAY 13, 2008

ARMED FORCES DAY

WHEREAS, millions of California’s finest sons and daughters have courageously defended our nation whenever its freedoms and national interests have been threatened;

WHEREAS, by their selfless commitment and sacrifices to duty, honor, and country our great nation has been preserved and flourished despite times of adversity and peril;

WHEREAS, Armed Forces Day is annually celebrated on the third Saturday in May to honor America’s valiant men and women in uniform serving on land, at sea, and in the air; and

WHEREAS, thousands of Los Angeles County residents are serving as members of the Armed Forces on duty today and all of our County citizens strongly support, respect, and appreciate those in uniform who unselfishly risk their lives to stop aggression.

I, THEREFORE MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

Proclaim **Saturday, May 17, 2008, as “Armed Forces Day”** and urge all County citizens to participate in patriotic events in honor of this day and of the men and women in uniform it symbolizes.

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